

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An image processing apparatus that reads out and outputs image information recorded in a recording medium, includes:

5    a read device that reads out a plurality of sets of image information recorded in the recording medium; a display device that displays image information read out by the read device; a selection device through which any image information among the image information displayed at the

10    display device can be freely selected; an output device that outputs image information selected by the selection device; and a control device that implements control to ensure that image information read out by the read device is not provided to the display device while image information is being output

15    by the output device.